Cooley Family

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November 24,1920.

Elder Brewster had two sons who married:Jonathan the oldest and Love youngest.
1.ELDER WILLIAM BREWSTER,CALLED"THE FATHER OF THE PILGRIM FATHERS.
2.Love Brewster,son of Elder Brewster.
3.William Brewster,son of Love Brewster.
4.Benjamin Brewster,son of William Brewster.
5.William Brewster,son of Benjamin Brewster.
6.Drusilla Brewster,daughter of William.(5)B.Married William Ely Oct 13,1766.
7.EliEly,son of Wm.E.and Drusilla(B)Ely,married (Bethesda) Blake. → Bathsheba
8.Lucy Beckwith Ely,daughter of Eli Ely,marriedCharles Ingraham Cooley,1827.
9.Reverend Henry Edwards Cooley,Born Aplril 5,1838,married Katherine,Amelia, daughter of Charles H,and Christiana(Ingersol)at ~~Nxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ Poughkeepsie N.Y.~~September~~ 1867.1866. Yale '63.Yale Theol.'66. Pastor at Littleton and Leominister mas.Died
10.Edith Lucy Cooley,Born August 7th,~~1878~~1869?,married Joseph Stickney only newspaper man on bridge of the Flagship with Admiral Dewey in the battle of Manila Bay in Spanish War.

W.F.B.

Drusilla Brewster was married to William Ely exactly 100 years b/f my father married my mother
E.L.S.

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(French). Presbyn. Author: The Nth Foot in War, 1898; Military Character, Habit, Deportment, Courtesy and Discipline, 1913; Physical Development of the Infantry Soldier, 1913. Co-author: Junior Military Manual, 1917; Thirty Minute Talks, 1920; The Drillmaster, 1921. Died July 3, 1934.

STEWART, Nathaniel Bacon, consul gen.; b. Taylor Co., Ga., Jan. 4, 1871; s. Bennett and Mary (Turner) S.; A.B., U. of Ga., 1893; student George Washington U. Law Sch.; m. Lucy Cobb Taylor, Oct. 25, 1911. Clerk U.S. Civ. Service, Navy Dept., Washington, 1893-97, War Dept., 1897-99; chief Div. of Accts., Engr. Dept., Havana, Cuba, 1899-1901; paymaster same dept., 1902; provincial treas. Philippine Islands, 1902-07; consul at Castellamare di Stabia, Italy, 1907-08, Madras, India, 1908-10, Durban, Natal, 1910-13, Milan, Italy, 1913-14; apptd. consul gen. at large, July 17, 1914; consul gen., Mexico City, 1920-21; chief of consular personnel, Dept. of State, 1921-23; consul gen. at Yokohama, Japan, Sept.-Dec. 1923, Tokyo, 1923-25; apptd. foreign service officer of Class one, July 1, 1924; consul gen. at Barcelona, Jan. 7, 1926—. Home: Americus, Ga. Died Apr. 17, 1931.

STEWART, Oliver Wayne, prohibitionist; b. Mercer Co., Ill., May 22, 1867; s. Charles and Eliza J. S.; A.B., Eureka Coll., 1890, LL.D., 1916; ordained Ch. of Christ ministry, 1887; m. Ella J. Seass, Aug. 20, 1890. Lecturer; always interested in temperance work; sec. of Dist. Lodge, I.O.G.T., 1887; candidate for Congress (Prohibition), 9th Ill. Dist., 1890; sec. Ill. Christian Endeavor Union, 1893-95; pres. same, 1895-97; mem. Ill. State Prohibition Com., 1894-1908; chmn. Ill. State Prohibition Conv., 1896, 1908, 16, Nat. Prohibition Conv., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1896; chmn. Ill. State Prohibition Com., 1896-1900; elected chmn. Nat. Prohibition Com., Dec. 1899, to fill vacancy; re-elected nat. chmn. Nat. Prohibition Com., 1900 and 1904; resigned Jan. 1905; elected as Prohibitionist, 1902, as mem. Ill. Ho. of Rep., from 5th Dist., serving 1903; candidate for mayor of Chicago (prohibition), 1905. Pres. Prohibition Trust Fund Assn. of New York, 1900-12; chmn. Nat. Prohibitionist Extension Com., 1907-11; field sec. Nat. Temperance Soc. of New York, 1910-12. Mem. Flying Squadron of America, visiting 255 Am. cities, 1915-20; v.p., 1915-20, pres., Aug. 1, 1920 (succeeding J. Frank Hanly, deceased), of Flying Squadron Foundation, Inc., and editor Nat. Enquirer; engaged in nation-wide law enforcement campaign, 1921-29; v.p. United Com. for Prohibition Enforcement, 1924-25; attended Rep. and Dem. nat. convs., 1928, as mem. exec. com. of nat. orgn. for dry planks; a founder of Nat. Conf. of Prohibition Orgns. Supporting 18th Amendment, 1928, and represents Flying Squadron on same; an organizer, 1929, of Coöp. Com. for Prohibition Enforcement (exec. com.). Mem. Nat. Temperance Council, 1913—; chmn. Prohibition Nat. Campaign Com., 1916; mem. Nat. Legislative Conf., rep. Flying Squadron Foundation. A founder and v.chmn. Allied Forces for Prohibition, formed 1931; founder and editor of Allied News—organ of Allied Forces; mem. Nat. Bd. of Strategy, created to unite dry forces for campaign of 1932; in June 1932, reopened Flying Squadron headquarters in Indianapolis and renewed publication of Nat. Enquirer as part of campaign for orgn. of local socs. on behalf of nat. prohibition, conducting nationwide speaking campaign through 1933; led Flying Squadron Campaigners in nation-wide tour, 1934-35. Home: Chicago, Ill. Died Feb. 15, 1937.

STEWART, Robert, missionary; b. Sidney, O., Jan. 31, 1839; s. James Harris (M.D.) and Jane Abigail (Fuller) S.; A.B. (1st honors), Jefferson Coll., Pa., 1859; grad. U.P. Theol. Sem., Pa., 1865; (D.D., Washington and Jefferson, 1875; D.D., Westminster, 1875, LL.D., 1906); m. Eliza Frazier, d. Rev. J. B. Johnston, of St. Clairsville, O., Dec. 1, 1881. Ordained U.P. minister, 1866; stated supply Ashland and Savannah, O., 1865-66, Dayton, 1866-68; stated supply and pastor Davenport, N.Y., 1868-72; prof. Newburg (N.Y.) Theol. Sem., 1872-78; editor Evang. Repository and S.S. periodicals, 1879-80; mem. bd. dirs. of foreign missions, U.P. Ch., 1880-81; commr. to visit missions in Egypt and India, 1880, 81; theol. prof. and missionary in India, 1881—; prin. Theol. Sem., U.P. Synod of the Punjab. Republican. Author: Life and Work in India, 1896; Apostolic and Indian Missions Compared, 1903; Ancestors and Children of Col. Daniel Fisher and Sybil Draper, 1899; Col. George Steuart and Margaret Harris, their Ancestors and Descendants, 1907; Introduction to Books of the New Testament (Urdu tongue), 1909; Our Ecclesiastical and Missionary Blessings and Our Consequent Duty, 1913. Translator (into Urdu): Schaff's History of the Christian Church, several vols., 1892-1911. Home: Gujranwala, India. Died Oct. 23, 1915.

STEWART, Rowe, newspaper pub.; b. Phila., Pa., Nov. 5, 1876; s. Samuel Jackson and Mary Alice (Walton) S.; ed. Central High Sch. and Pierce Business Coll., Phila.; m. May Belle Diehl, Sept. 8, 1909; children—James Rowe, John Howard. Began as office boy, Phila. Record, 1895; with Phila. North American, 1904-09; adv. mgr. Phila. Evening Times, 1909; with Tracy, Parry & Stewart, adv. agts., 1910-13; adv. mgr. Phila. Record, 1913-23, gen. mgr. 1924; pres. Record Pub. Co., 1925-29; pres. Stewart-Jordan Co., advt. specialists, Phila. V.p. Chamber Commerce of Phila., Benjamin Franklin Memorial, Inc. Chmn. bd. Taxpayers Forum of Pa. Decorated Order of Social and Civic Merit (France). Democrat. Presbyn. Mason. Home: Philadelphia, Pa. Died May 12, 1940.

STEWART, Russell C., lawyer; b. Easton, Pa., Sept. 2, 1859; s. Charles and Anna E. (Chidsey) S.; A.B., Lafayette Coll., 1878, A.M., 1881; studied Columbia Law Sch.; (LL.D., Muhlenberg Coll., 1917, Lafayette, 1919); m. Mattie M. Seitz, Jan. 25, 1885. Admitted to bar, 1881; dist. atty., Northampton Co., Pa., 1886-89; Rep. candidate for Congress, 1900; judge 3d Jud. Dist. of Pa., Dec. 31, 1906—. Home: Easton, Pa. Died Feb. 5, 1942.

STEWART, Samuel Vernon, judge; b. Monroe County, O., Aug. 2, 1872; s. John W. and Maria A. (Carle) S.; Kan. State Normal Sch., Emporia, 2 yrs.; LL.B., Law Dept., U. of Kan., 1898; m. Stella Baker, Apr. 27, 1905. Began practice of law at Virginia City, Mont., July 1, 1898; city atty., Virginia City, 5 yrs.; co. atty., Madison Co., 2 terms, 4 yrs.; chmn. Dem. State Central Com., 1910-12; gov. of Mont., 2 terms, 1913-21; city atty., Helena, 1922-27; was mem. Stewart & Brown; asso. justice Supreme Court of Mont., term 1933-39. Mason, Elk, Eagle, Woodman. Home: Helena, Mont. Died Sept. 15, 1939.

STEWART, Thomas Jamison, soldier; b. Belfast, Ireland, Sept. 11, 1848; s. John and Eliza. S.; came to America with parents, 1849; ed. pub. schs., Norristown, Pa.; m. Mrs. A. R. Weaver, Nov. 28, 1901. Pvt. 138th Pa. Vols., Civil War; officer N. G. of Pa., 1868—; sec. internal affairs of Pa., 1886-95; adj. gen. of Pa., Jan. 1895—. Asst. adj. gen. G.A.R. of Pa., 1882-89; comdr. Pa. Dept. G.A.R., 1890; adj. gen. G.A.R., 1898-1900, comdr.-in-chief, 1902-03. Republican. Home: Harrisburg, Pa. Died Sept. 11, 1917.

STEWART, William Henry, chaplain U.S.N.; b. Andover, Mass., July 11, 1831; s. John and Dorcas (Baxter) S.; m. Roline Mayo, July 11, 1860; m. 2d, Azuba E. Tolles, Jan. 20, 1885. Apptd. chaplain U.S.N., Mar. 10, 1863; served at naval sta., Cairo, Ill., 1863-65, Naval Acad., 1866-67, and later on various vessels and at various stas.; retired, July 11, 1893; advanced to rank of rear adm., retired, June 29, 1906; for services during Civil War. Home: De Land, Fla. Died Mar. 31, 1913.

STEWART, William Lyman, oil producer; b. Titusville, Pa., 1868; s. Lyman and Sarah Adelaide (Burrows) S.; student U. of Calif.; m. Mrs. M. E. Arnold, 1894. Pres. Union Oil Co. of Calif., Los Angeles. Presbyterian. Died June 21, 1930.

STEWART, William Morris, U.S. senator, lawyer; b. Lyons, N.Y., Aug. 9, 1827; early childhood in Ohio; academic edn. Entered Yale Coll., but was attracted by gold discoveries to Calif., arriving in San Francisco, May 1850; m. Annie E., d. Gov. and Senator Foote, of Miss. Mined in Nevada Co., and accumulated some money; studied law; admitted to bar, 1852; dist. atty., 1852; atty. gen. of Calif., 1854; removed to Virginia City, Nev., 1860; practiced law; became interested in Comstock lode. Mem. Territorial council, 1861; mem. Constl. Conv., 1863; U.S. senator, 1863-75; resumed practice of law, 1875-87; U.S. senator again, 1887-1905. Home: Bullfrog, Nev. Died 1909.

STEWART, William Rhinelander, humanitarian; b. New York, Dec. 3, 1852; s. Lispenard and Mary Rogers (Rhinelander) S.; Anthon's and Charlier's schs., New York; LL.B., Columbia Sch. of Law, 1873; M.A., honoris causa, Columbia, 1913. Practiced law for several yrs. in office of Platt, Gerard & Buckley; retired from practice to devote attention as executor, trustee, or to works of philanthropy; pres. Rhinelander Real Estate Co., 1908—; trustee Greenwich Savings Bank, 1893—; dir. Corn Exchange Bank, 1897—. Apptd. by Gov. Cornell commr. for 1st Jud. Dist. on State Bd. of Charities, May 31, 1882, and has served continuously (pres. of bd. for 25 years). Organizer, 1900, of State Conf. Charities and Correction (pres. 1903); an organizer N.Y. City Conf. Charities and Correction, 1910; chmn. state commn. for establishment of Letchworth Village (farm colony for the feeble minded); identified with other charitable instns. Elected pres. 25th Nat. Conf. Charities and Correction, New York, 1898 (medal struck by Am. Numismatic Soc. and only copy in gold presented Mr. Stewart by Com. of One Hundred). Originator, 1889, and treas. of com. which erected Washington Arch, Washington Sq., New York, and transferred same to Mayor Strong at pub. ceremonies, May 4, 1895. Mem. Co. K, 7th Regt., N.G.N.Y., 1871-79; mem. Citizens' Com. of Seventy which elected Mayor Strong, 1894. Episcopalian; jr. warden Grace Ch. and treas., 1893-1913. Author: The Philanthropic Works of Josephine Shaw Lowell, 1911; Grace Church and Old New York, 1924. Home: New York, N.Y. Died Sept. 4, 1929.

STEWART, William Shaw, physician; b. Stewart's Sta., nr. Pittsburgh, Nov. 13, 1838; s. John and Margaret (Shaw) S.; g.s. Capt. John S., of Revolutionary army; grad. Jefferson Coll., Pa., 1860; Jefferson Med. Coll., 1863 (A.M., Washington and Jefferson Coll.); m. Delia Allman, Nov. 14, 1872. Served asst. surgeon, U.S.A., in Civil War, holding many responsible positions in med. service of army; was offered commn. as full surgeon to remain in army, but established practice in Phila. at close of war. One of founders, and was 10 yrs. dean and prof. obstetrics and clinical gynecology (prof. emeritus), Medico-Chirurgical Coll., Phila.; one of founders (1st v.p.) Am. Acad. Medicine; dir. pub. schs., 9 yrs. Republican. Presbyn. Home: Merion Sta., Pa. Died 1903.

STICKNEY, Albert, lawyer; b. Boston, Feb. 1, 1839; grad. Harvard, 1859; Harvard Law School, 1862. Served as lt. col., 47th Mass. vols., Civil war; aide on staff of Maj. Gen. Banks and insp. gen. on staff of Maj. Gen. Emory. Author: The Lawyer and His Clients; A True Republic; Democratic Government; a Study of Politics; The Political Problem; The Transvaal Outlook, 1900; Organized Democracy, 1906. Home: New York, N.Y. Died 1908.

STICKNEY, Alpheus Beede, ry. builder; b. Wilton, Me., June 27, 1840; s. Daniel and Ursula Maria (Beede) S.; ed. common schs. and acads., N.H. and Me.; m. Kate W. H. Hall, 1864; m. 2d, May Crosby, 1901. Taught sch.; admitted to bar, 1862; practiced law, 1862-69; from 1869 engaged in bldg. and operating rys. Organized, 1871, and built 1st sect. N. Wis. Ry., now part of Chicago, St. Paul, M. & O. system; supt. constrn. of abt. 500 miles G.N. and Canadian Pacific rys., 1879-81; organized and built 1st sec. Wis., Minn. & Pacific Ry., 1881; organized 1883, and began constrn. C.G.W. Ry., of which was pres., 1884-1909; receiver same rd., 1908-09; organized and built St. Paul Union Stockyards and packing houses, 1882. Home: St. Paul, Minn. Died Aug. 9, 1916.

STICKNEY, Amos, brig. gen. U.S.A.; b. St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 27, 1843; s. Benjamin and Sarah J. S.; grad. U.S. Mil. Acad., 1864; m. Virginia Fetter, July 10, 1866. Commd. 1st lt. engrs., June 13, 1864; capt., Mar. 7, 1867; maj., Jan. 2, 1881; lt. col., May 18, 1893; col., May 2, 1901; brig. gen. and retired by operation of law, Aug. 27, 1907. Brvtd. capt., Dec. 21, 1864, for campaign in Georgia, 1864; maj., Mar. 13, 1865, for campaign through Georgia and Carolinas. Engr. on staff comdg. gen., Dept. of the Mo., June-Aug. 1864, and on staff Gen. Cullum, at Nashville, Aug.-Sept. 1864; asst. engr., Oct. 1864-June 1865, and chief engr., June-July 1865, Army of the Tennessee, and engaged in various movements and operations of Ga. and Carolina campaigns; served on constrn. of forts until 1866; prof. engring., West Point, 1866-67; chiefly occupied with work of river and harbor improvement from 1868; pres. Mo. River Commn., 1896-1902, Miss. River Commn., 1901-03; chmn. of commn. to establish and mark the boundary line between the States of Ky. and Ind. under the orders of the U.S. Supreme Court. Home: New York, N.Y. Died Oct. 25, 1924.

STICKNEY, Herman Osman, naval officer; b. Pepperell, Mass., Dec. 10, 1867; s. Walter Brooks and Lydia Jane (Edwards) S.; grad. U.S. Naval Acad., 1888; m. Jennie Griffin Milhado, Oct. 16, 1895. Assistant engr., July 1, 1890; trans. to line and promoted through grades to rear adm., Dec. 22, 1919; retired, Dec. 27, 1921. Served on Iowa, Spanish-Am. War, 1898; on Princeton, Philippine Insurrection, 1899-1901; Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va., 1901-02; navigator Texas, 1902-05; at U.S. Naval Acad., 1905-06; duty Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va., 1906-07; exec. officer South Dakota, 1908-10; insp. in charge 4th Light House Dist., Phila., 1910-12; comd. Massachusetts, 1912; at U.S. Naval Acad., 1912-13; comd. Prairie, 1913-14; adminstr. of customs, Vera Cruz, Mexico, 1914; at Naval War Coll., Newport, R.I., 1915; comd. Vermont, 1915-18; Bd. of Inspection and Survey, Washington, 1918; sr. mem. Pacific Coast Bd. of Inspection, San Francisco, 1919; comdr. train, Pacific Fleet, July 1921; U.S. commr. to Sesquicentennial Expn., Phila., 1926-27, in charge all federal participation in that expn. Atty. at law; admitted to practice in Va., June 27, 1923. Home: Norfolk, Va. Died Sept. 13, 1936.

STICKNEY, Joseph L., journalist; b. "The Mines," nr. Marion, Ky., July 12, 1848; s. John Charles and Abby Anna (Clifford) S.; grad. U.S. Naval Acad., 1867; m. Edith Lucy Cooley, June 1900. Entered navy as midshipman, Sept. 25, 1862; in Civ. War, served as midshipman aboard Marion, Franklin with Admiral Farragut, Frolic, Guard, Ohio, Congress and Nantasket; resigned as lt., 1871. Began as reporter, 1873; corr. Chicago Tribune, Russo-Turkish War, 1877-78; editorial writer Phila. Record, 1881-82; mng. editor Milwaukee Sentinel, 1883-84; editor and propr. Detroit Post, 1884-85; foreign editor and editorial writer, New York Herald, 1887-98. Aide to Commodore Dewey at battle of Manila Bay, May 1, 1898, receiving personal mention in Commodore's official report of that battle; corr. in P.I. and in S. Africa, 1899-1900. Home: Chicago, Ill. Died 1907.

STICKNEY, William Wallace, governor; b. Plymouth, Vt., Mar. 21, 1853; s. John W. and Ann (Pinney) S.; grad. Phillips Acad., Exeter, N.H., 1877;

George Decatur

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Little Neck Clams

Strained Chicken Gumbo en Tasse

Olorosa

Pim-Olas | Radishes | Salted Almonds

Bouchée à la Montglas

Brook Trout à la Venitienne

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Filet de Boeuf à la Richelieu

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Petits Pois

Ris de Veau à la Coventry

Haricots Verts panachés

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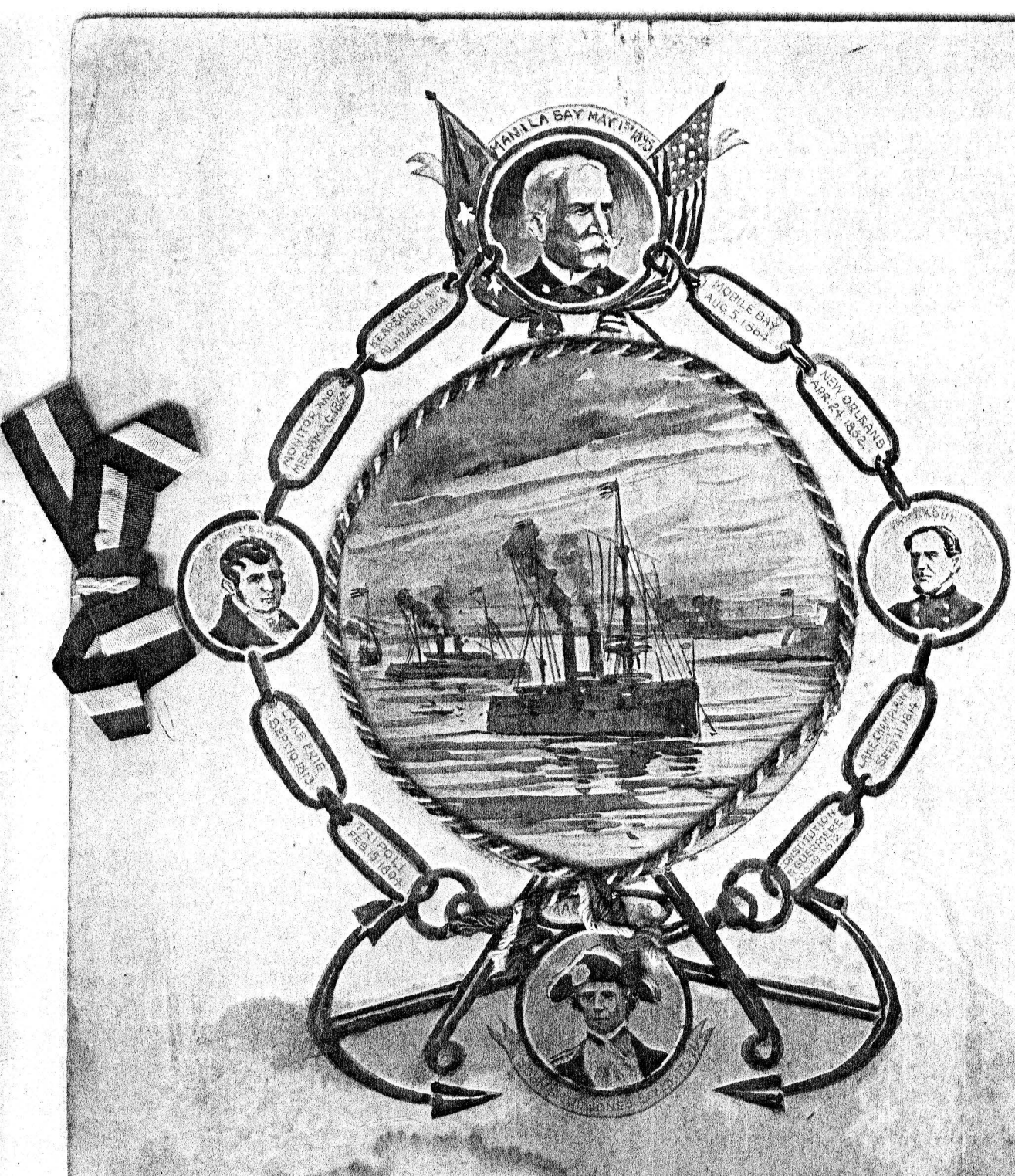
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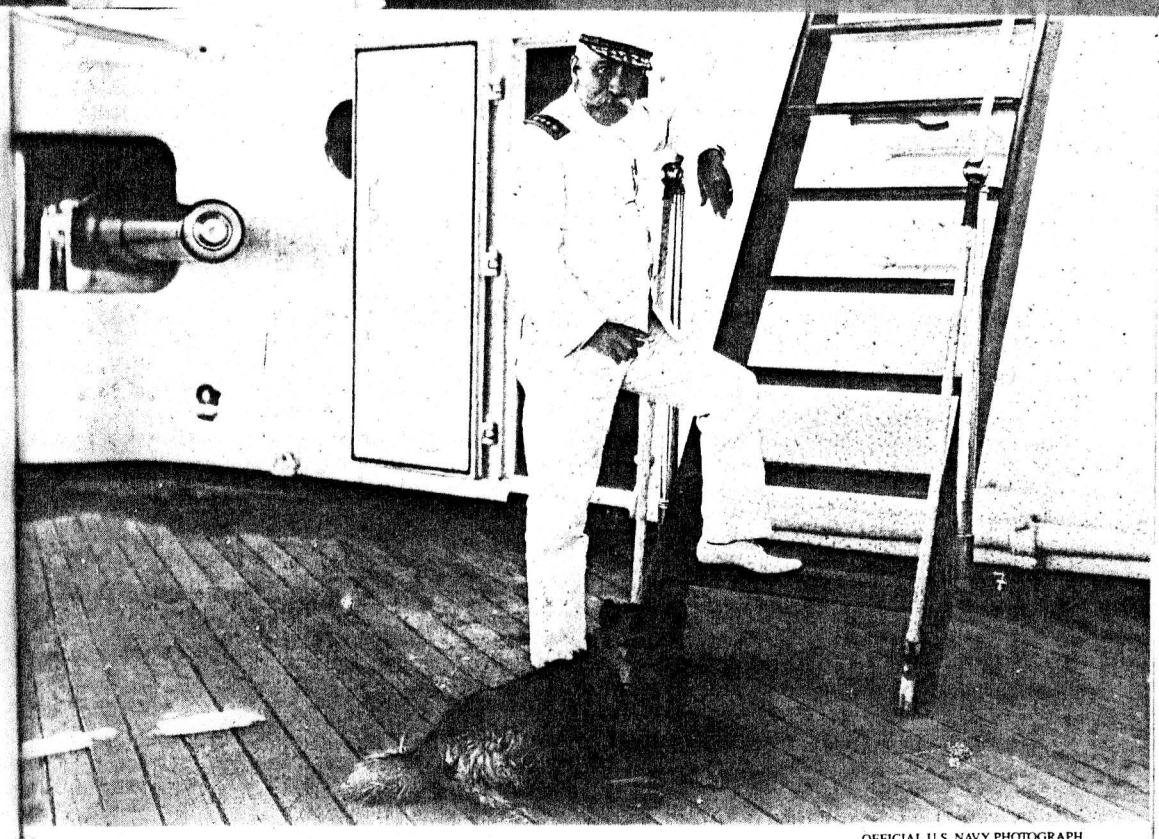

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After Manila, victorious Commodore George Dewey was rapidly promoted to admiral of the Navy, a rank awarded only twice before. Posing on his flagship *Olympia*, he ignores a gaping, highly vulnerable gun port.

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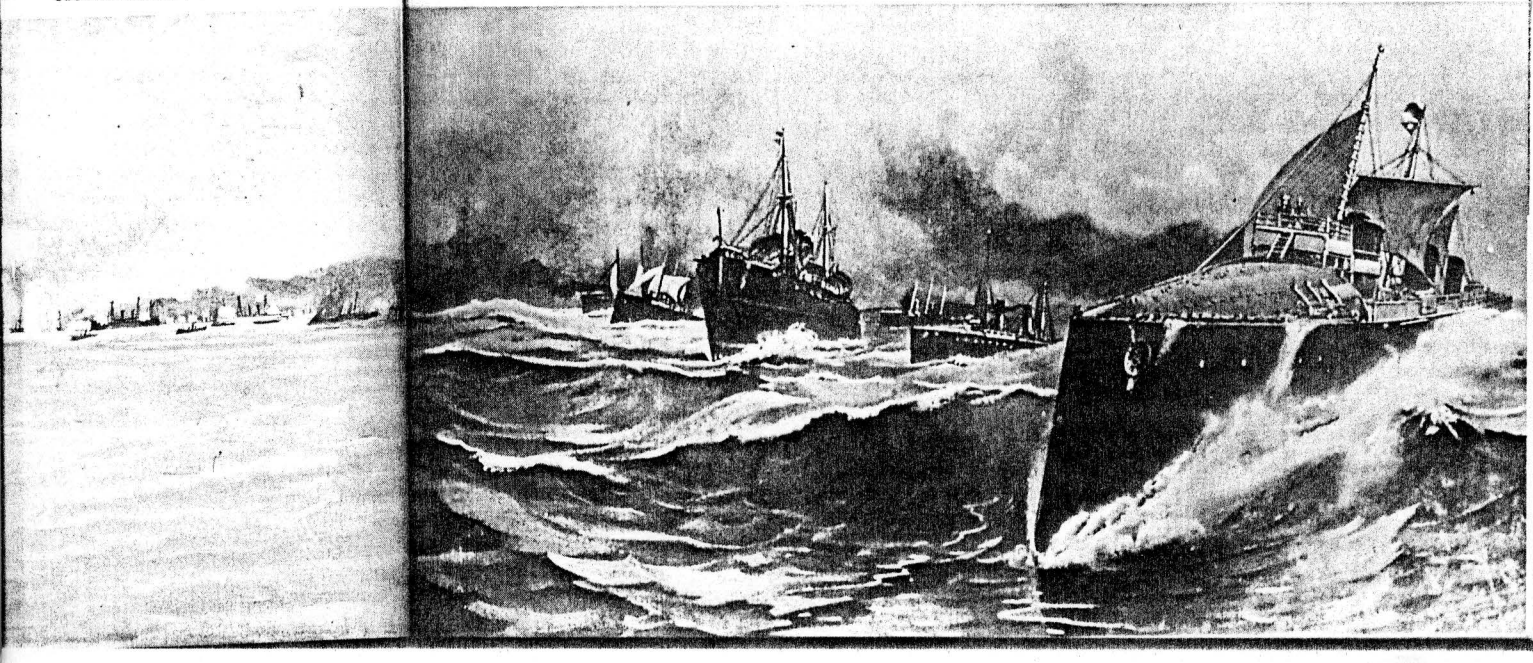

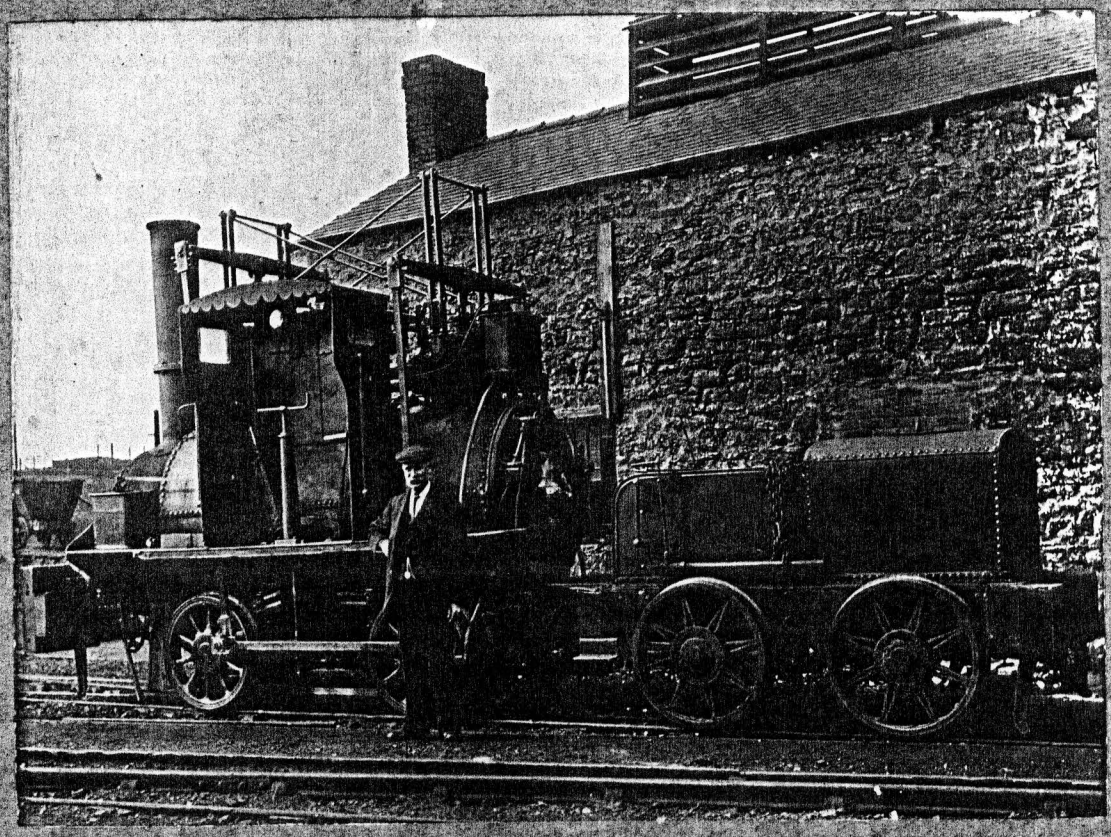

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Cooley Family

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September 29, 1994

We do have a file on a Cooley family. It contains two pages on descendants of Benjamin Cooley, the ancestor of the Cooley family in New England. Benjamin died in Springfield MA in 1684. Only Benjamin's son Daniel, grandson Simon, and great grandson Simon are traced. There is no mention of a Reuben.

I am enclosing a research report listing the sources I checked for your ancestors. As you can see, I found a few references to Cooleys/Coolys but none to a Reuben in Vigo county. I expected to find his marriage to Emily Harmon here and hoped to find the first wife Sarah and the daughter Martha in our books of cemetery records. The information for the cemetery books was copied from the stones so, of course, any names on broken and unreadable stones were omitted. Perhaps stones from the 1830s were not preserved.

However, the indexes to the 1840 and 1850 Indiana censuses do not list a Reuben in or near Vigo county. I checked the microfilm for the 1850 Reubens, but none of them had a wife named Emily.

Are you sure your Reuben came from this area?

The Indiana State Library, 140 N. Senate Ave., Indianapolis IN 46204, has compiled a statewide index to Indiana marriages prior to 1850. You might contact them to see where Reuben and Emily were married and then check records in that county.

According to Directory of Family Associations, there is a Cooley Family Association of America, 1106 North Eagle Lake Drive, Kalamazoo MI 49009.

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The item(s) circled below indicate the record(s) searched for the surnames of: Cooley: Reuben + ① Sarah Snow + ② Emily Harmon in response to your request of 9-21-99.

(1) Miscellaneous Card File:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

(2) Surname File:
Did not find _____ Found Cooley Family File - 2 pp on descendants of Benjamin Cooley, immigrant ancestor of Cooleys in New England, doesn't mention Reuben

(3) Vigo County, Indiana, Index of Names of Persons and of Firms (in the county histories)
Did not find _____ Found Cooley: Frances A. - Bradsby p 685; Mary (Partlow) - Bradsby p 685; Samuel - Bradsby p 999; Silvester - Bradsby p 685; William H. - Markle vol 1 p 60

(4) Vigo County, Indiana, Marriage Licenses from 1818 to 1850:
Did not find Reuben Found Cooly, William H. & Charlotte Fuller 30 April 1835

5. W.P.A. Index to Marriage Record, Vigo County, 1840-1920:
Did not find _____ Found _____

6. W.P.A. Index to Death Record, Vigo County, 1882-1920:
Did not find _____ Found _____

(7) Cemetery Records of Vigo County, Including All Born Prior to 1830 That Lived to Maturity:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

(8) Cemeteries, Vigo County, Indiana (4 vols.):
Did not find Reuben Found vol 4 p 122 Cooley, Lora A. - 1906-1978 & Norma L. 1920-1965 Black Cemetery

(9) Woodlawn Cemetery, Terre Haute, Vigo County IN, Index of Burials Vol. 1 1839-1899 vol. 2 1900-March 1983:
Did not find Reuben Found Coolie, Ellen - age 10 - buried 11-18-1870 & Mrs. Lucinda - age 32 - buried 6-29-1870

(10) Census Index for the year 1830-50:
Did not find _____ Found 1830 - Cooley, Rhuben - Jackson Co p 241
(Coven)
No Cooleys in Vigo Co.
Cooley, William - Sullivan Co p 182
Cooly, Samuel - Clay Co p 265
Cooly, William - Owen Co p 282

Other: (also check other side)

#10 1840 Census Index

Cooley, Reuben - Bartholomew Co p 185
" " Franklin Co p 517
Cooly, R.R.- Decatur Co p 369

1850 Indiana Census Index

Cooley, Reuben - Bartholomew Co p 338 - age 56, wife Patsy
" Reuben K. - Decatur Co p 114 - age 44, wife Rhoda
Cooly, Reuben - Franklin Co p 281 - age 41, wife Rebecca

Sent check for $3.00

Sept. 21, 1994

Dear Ms. Sherrill

My family and I have been involved in doing some family research on my great, great grandfather Reuben Cooley and just recently found some information in the 1987 Sycomore Leaves Vol. 18 - 19, No.1, page 5, stating you had some family files locked in two file cabinets in the special collections dept. of the library, that might be of some geneological value, the article gave an index of surnames found in the files of which Cooley was one of them. Reuben was married twice, his first wife Sarah (Snow) Cooley, died about three weeks after giving birth to their last child, a son 5 Aug. 1838 in Terre Hautet, Vigo county, Indiana. Reuben married his second wife, Emily Harmon in late 1838 or early 1839, and their first child, a daughter, Martha Jane was born 25 Nov. 1840 in Terre Hautet, Vigo county, Indiana. Martha Jane died approximately two years later, we assume in Vigo county. We need death, birth, and marriage records if available. We made many searchs in the Salt Lake City geneological library and haven't been able to find the records we need. I hope you will be able to help us. I am sending a check for $3.00 to cover coping costs and postage. please inform me if this is not adequate and I will send the right amount. Thank you for your time and help in this matter.

Sincerely,

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THE COOLEY FAMILY

Benjamin Cooley, immigrant ancestor of the Cooley family in New England, with his wife, Sarah, was in Springfield (Longmeadow) at a very early period. For thirteen years he was selectman of Springfield. He was born about 1617 and died August 17, 1684. His wife, Sarah, died a few days later- August 23, 1684.

Children:

1. Bethia b. Sept. 16, 1643; m. Henry Chapin
2. Obadiah Sept. 27, 1646
3. Eliakim Jan. 8, 1648; m. Hannah Tibbals
4. Daniel May 2, 1651; m. Elizabeth Wolcott
5. Sarah Feb. 27, 1653; m. Jonathan Morgan
6. Benjamin Sept. 1, 1656
7. Mary June 23, 1659; m. Thomas Terry
8. Joseph March 6, 1661

Daniel Cooley, son of Benjamin and Sarah --- Cooley, was born in Longmeadow May 2, 1651. He died February 8, 1737. He married December 8, 1680 Elizabeth Wolcott, daughter of Simon and Martha (Pitkin) Wolcott, and sister of Governor Roger Wolcott. She died January 31, 1708. Daniel married for his second wife, Lydia, widow of Jonathan Burt. She died January 21, 1739.

Children:

1. Benjamin b. Oct. 28, 1681
2. Daniel Mar. 23, 1683
3. Simon Mar. 3, 1687; m. Elizabeth Gunn
4. John Feb. 23, 1689
5. Thomas Jan. 23, 1693
6. Elizabeth July 23, 1696; m. Joshua Field
7. William Aug. 12, 1698

Simon Cooley, son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Wolcott) Cooley, was born March 6, 1687. He died September 21, 1746 at Sunderland, Mass. He was one of the forty-one settlers of Sunderland. His Home Lot was No. 20 West Side. He married May 4, 1709 Elizabeth, daughter of Deacon Samuel and Elizabeth (Wyatt) Gunn of Hatfield. She died February 14, 1744. He married for his second wife, Jerusha, widow of Daniel Russell and daughter of John and Sarah Dickinson. The two eldest children were born in Springfield; the third at Hatfield and the rest in Sunderland.

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Children of Simon and Elizabeth (Gunn) Cooley:

1. Elizabeth	b. Jan.	14,	1711	
2. Abner	Jan.	22,	1713;	m. Jerusha Graves
3. Elizabeth	Nov.	30,	1714;	m. Joshua Scott
4. Miriam	March	14,	1717;	m. David Hubbard
5. *Simon	Sept.	3,	1720;	m. Bethia Ashley
6. Mary	Sept.	20,	1723;	m. Jeremiah Himms
7. Anna	June	27,	1725;	m. Reuben Scott
8. Gideon	Oct.	8,	1727	
9. Lucy	July	2,	1729	
10. Lucy	Sept.	23,	1731;	m. Richard Montague
11. Freedom	March	24,	1734;	m. Zebulon Allen

Simon Cooley, son of Simon and Elizabeth (Gunn) Cooley, was born in Sunderland September 3, 1720 and died August 10, 1805. In his later years he lived at Flag Swamp. He was town clerk of Sunderland from March 28, 1765 to March 6, 1780. (Revolutionary period service) He married October 28, 1752 Bethia Ashley, daughter of Aaron and Beitha (Dewey) Ashley of Westfield. She died July 14, 1808.

Children:

1. Martin	b. Jan.	14,	1754;	m. Irena Montague Rebecca Smith
2. Gideon	May	21,	1756;	m. Eunice Rowe
3. Rimmah	March	3,	1758;	m. Lucy Field
4. *Mercy	Sept.	9,	1760;	m. Melzar Hunt
5. Ruth	Oct.	15,	1762;	m. Spencer Russell
6. Sarah	Dec.	30,	1764;	m. Stephen Clary
7&8 Twins	March	16,	1767;	b & d
9. Moses	Dec.	24,	1768	
10. Israel	Dec.	26,	1770	
11. Tirzah	March	7,	1773;	m. Samuel Hitchcock

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